GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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Revamping of NHAI
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to revamp the National Highways Authority of India;

(b) if so, the details and reasons therefor along with the status thereof;

(c) whether any committee has been constituted to study the method for revamping of the NHAI;

(d) if so, the details and status thereof; and

(e) whether the overall road development infrastructure in the country is not as per requirement and if so, the extent to which the revamping of NHAI would improve the infrastructure in the country?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) to (e) National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) is the implementation agency for development/upgradation of national highways under different phases of National Highways Development Project (NHDP). To improve its effectiveness, it was felt that NHAI could be made more autonomous. Therefore, Ministry of Road Transport and Highways had set up a committee. The committee has suggested different measures to be taken to transform NHAI as an advanced and competent institution for planning, management and execution of highway project.

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